(b) if so, whether there is any proposal to have single-window scheme for this purpose;

(c) if so, details thereof; and

(d) if not, reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF TOURISM (SHRI SRIKANT KUMAR JENA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Do not arise.

(d) The hotel industry is required to obtain a number of licences for running their hotels from the Central and State Government Departments, and other organisations including Municipal Authorities etc. which varry from city to city and State to State.

Removal of milk producs from OGL list

298. SHRI NAGENDRA NATH OJHA:

SHRI JALALUDIN ANSARI:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the National Dairy Development Board and the National Cooperative Dairy Federation have called upon Government to remove milk products from the list of items imported under Open General Licence;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI BOLLA BULI RAMAIAH): (a) to (c) Yes Sir. National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) and National Cooperative Dairy Federation of India Ltd. have represented to shift import of skimmed milk power and butter oil from free list to restricted list.

As a part of liberalised trade policy, restrictions on import of consumer goods are being removed in a phased manner. At this stage, it will not be desirable to revert an existing freely importable item to the restricted list of import especially in view of the fact that import of butter oil and Skimmed Milk Powder even after they were placed under OGL have not been significant.

NRI Air Taxi services

299. SHRI MOHINDAR SINGH KALYAN: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to permit NRI Air Taxi Service to start its operation on trunk and domestic tourist routes within the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof together with month of effectiveness of such operation;

(c) whether Government also propose to ask this organisation to augment seat capacity for International and National travellers;

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether some security has been ensured to passengers by this organisation; and

(f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI C. M. IBRAHIM): (a) No company in the name of NRI Air Taxi Service has applied for permission to operate air transport services in the country.

(b) to (f) Do not arise.

Promotion of Tourism in Orissa

300. SHRI BHAGABAN MAJHI: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state: